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TOWN COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Council of the Town of Bassano was held in the Town Hall on Monday night, the Mayor and all members of the Council being present.

Tenders for the purchase of a new tractor, back hoe ditch digger, front end loader and dozer blade and a mower were opened and found to be as follows:

Bassano Motors	\$5,700.00
Clarke's Garage	5,100.00
Bud's Service	5,474.40
Roy Smith Co. Ltd.	5,580.00
Gordon Ferraby	5,713.00

The tender of Clarke's Garage did not have a guarantee cheque of 10% of the amount of the tender as called for in the specifications and was therefore disqualified. The next lowest tender, that of Bud's Service, was accepted and an order placed with that company for the necessary machines to be delivered by May 1st.

A building permit was issued to John Brietzke for the erection of a chicken house and brooder and a green house.

By-Law No. 419 was given first and second readings.

A considerable discussion centered around the complaints of Bassano citizens over the number of dogs running around the Town. A resolution was passed instructing the Police Committee to take immediate steps to enforce the By-Law pertaining to dogs within the Town.

Jack Cote was hired to assist the Town Foreman, Wm. Rutschke, at a starting wage of \$175.00 per month.

Wednesday, May 9th was set as the annual Clean-up Day for the Town.

A building permit was issued to the Bassano Evangelical Free Church for an addition to the church building.

Plans for water and sewer extensions were examined but a decision was deferred until a later meeting.

Accounts totalling \$4,008.78 were passed for payment by the Finance Committee.

OUR CHURCHES

BASSANO EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

Sunday School - 10:30 A.M.
Evening Prayer - 7:30 P.M.

Pastor - Rev. L.A. Tiede.

ST. MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

Second Sunday after Easter
Sunday School - 2:00 P.M.
Evensong - 3:00 P.M.

Rector - Rev. G.B. Hotchkis
Organist - Miss Miriam Berry

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School - 11:00 A.M.
Evensong - 7:30 P.M.

Pastor - Rev. F.A. Clare.

Don't miss the Home and School Amateur Show to be held in the Bassano Hall on Friday, April 13th, starting promptly at 8:00 P.M.

LADIES HOLD FAREWELL PARTY

On Tuesday night a farewell party was given by Mrs. Jean Brown Sr. and Mrs. Jas Snapo, at the home of the latter, when they entertained in honor of Mrs. George McCallum and Mrs. J. Price, who are leaving the district.

The guests of honor were presented with gifts of necklaces and earrings from the twenty guests present.

The evening was spent in games and contests, after which a delicious lunch was served.

ALBERTAN WILL TRUCK PAPERS

Mrs. Murray of Calgary was in Town on Wednesday to arrange the most convenient way of distributing the Calgary Albertan after April 30th.

The C.P.R. plans to discontinue the mail service on the morning train after that date and the Albertan will therefore be delivered to Bassano by truck, starting on May 1st.

TOWN TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Goldie Smith have returned home after spending the past week in Helena, Montana.

The Knox Church Ladies Aid Turkey Supper, held in the Masonic Banquet Room on Saturday, was a disappointment from a financial viewpoint. While the supper left nothing to be desired as far as quality and quantity of food was concerned, the number of waitresses seemed to out-number the guests throughout the evening. After paying all expenses, a profit of only \$45.00 was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pearce and family motored to Calgary on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Pearce and Mr. Stanley Pearce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Stewart, Wally Pask, Hugh McQueen and Mrs. M. Knight motored to Hanna on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Marvin Price.

Clifford Pippin left for Cranbrook, B.C. on Monday to spend a week with his relatives.

Picture windows seem to be the order of the day at present. John Bacon has just installed a 7'x3' window and Marvin Meidinger has a new one in his kitchen.

The Variety Club held a banquet at Bud's Coffee Shop recently. Nineteen members were present.

On Tuesday the temperature soared to 67° above zero, the warmest day so far this year.

Several carloads of Bassano citizens attended the hockey game between Calgary and Winnipeg at Calgary on Saturday night.

The County of Nowell has relaxed the ban on all roads within the county. Trucks are now allowed to operate with half loads.

The Pony League Baseball Club started to lay out a new ball diamond in the south west corner of Town on Wednesday. It is expected that baseball games will be under way soon.

Two rats were found in a box car by C.P.R. employees recently. The rats were destroyed.

WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT

BIBLE TELLS US JUST WHAT MAN IS

The Bible asks, in Psalms and Hebrews, "what is man?" And it then gives the answer with a completeness unequalled anywhere else in literature. Its answer is unsurpassed even in the delvings of modern psychology.

In the Bible, man is revealed in all the heights and depths, aberrations and variations of his acts and character, with nothing withheld.

In the early record man appears as an unbrotherly murderer, Cain becoming the symbol of the unbrotherly murderers of all time, including our own.

Man is a liar, even in the lapse of the good Abraham (Genesis); a cheat in the weak but ultimately better Jacob; an adulterer in the strong and great David; an oppressor in the glorious builder, Solomon.

In these and many other characters is expressed what man has been, and is, in lust and cruelty; in ruthless ambition and misuse of power; in slackness and weakness; in petty and major sins and transgressions.

It is all there—the Bible's answer to the question, "what is man?" But the uniqueness of the Bible is this: with all the realism concerning man's degradation and degradation of himself and his fellows, it also reveals man in all the heights of his possibilities and attainments.

In contrast to its Ahabs and Jezebels are the Johns, Josephs and Simeons, the Annas and the Marys. In contrast with all the depths are the pinnacles of man's aspirations and glories.

Nor is this all. For man in the depths there is the favor and grace of God. The Bible is the Book of the Gospel, of faith and hope, of restoration and uplift, of a new life.

THIS IS SENSE?

District of Columbia board of education recently declared a holiday which will be observed when the circus hits town. The theory is that children won't have to cut classes to attend the matinee.

Sonsoma's always taking the fun out of things.

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HONEY-BUN RING

Scald $\frac{3}{4}$ c. milk, $\frac{1}{2}$ c. granulated sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsps. salt and $\frac{1}{4}$ c. shortening; cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl $\frac{3}{4}$ c. lukewarm water, 1 tsp. granulated sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 1 envelope Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 mins. THEN stir well.

Add cooled milk mixture and stir in 1 well-beaten egg and 1 tsp. grated lemon rind. Stir in 2 c. once-sifted bread flour; beat until smooth. Work in 2 c. (about) once-sifted bread flour. Knead on lightly-floured board until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl and grease top of

dough. Cover and set in warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough and roll out into an oblong about 9" wide and 24" long; loosen dough. Combine $\frac{1}{2}$ c. lightly-packed brown sugar and $\frac{1}{2}$ c. liquid honey; spread over dough and sprinkle with $\frac{1}{4}$ c. broken walnuts. Beginning at a long side, loosely roll up like a jelly roll. Lift carefully into a greased $8\frac{1}{2}$ " tube pan and join ends of dough to form a ring. Brush top with melted butter. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375° , 45-50 minutes. Brush top with honey and sprinkle with chopped walnuts.

Tangier combines ancient, modern for tourists

MONTREAL.—Tangier, colorful international port of the northwestern tip of Africa at the entrance to the Strait of Gibraltar, is a place where anything can happen—and frequently does.

A combination of East and West, of the old and the new...ancient Kasbah and Sultan's Palace, modern resort hotels and lively cabarets...this Moorish-Spanish-French city is a place of infinite variety that will delight passengers on the Spring cruise of the Cunard liner Caronia when they arrive on May 19.

They will especially enjoy bargain hunting along the narrow streets of the old Moorish section, buying "poufs," costume jewelry and silk brocades embroidered with gold and silver threads.

The legendary founder of Tangier was Antheus, a son of the god Neptune, who named the place "Tingo" after his wife. Antheus was slain by Hercules, who came to Tingo to visit the nearby Gardens of Hesperides, where he also slew a hundred-headed dragon, then appropriated the Golden Fruit and took it back to Greece. Centuries later, when the English first occupied Tangier, men again went in search of the golden fruit which grew in the surrounding hills...they called them "tangerines," a name which has stuck to those sweet miniature oranges down to this day.

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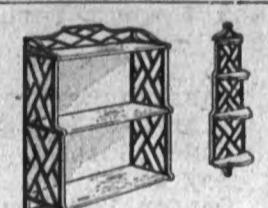
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New kinds food plants in prospect

New kinds of potatoes, tomatoes and apples are in prospect, according to a professor at the University of Manitoba.

Dr. L. H. Shebeski, head of the plant science department, told the Canada Food Technologists' Association in Winnipeg recently that scientists aided by electrons and chemicals are working to develop bigger and better food plants.

New species of plants not previously found in nature can be produced by a combination of chemical and physical techniques and selective breeding, he said.

The chromosome patterns of plants could be "re-shuffled" and mutations created by x-ray radiations, by certain chemicals, and by what are known as "temperature shock" treatments.

"Some of these hybrids and mutations show features that we may ultimately develop as bigger and better plants resistant to our major insect pests and rust infections," he said.

Nearly eight million bodies are entombed in the catacombs under Paris.

Carp destroy waterfowl food plants



PRINCE ALBERT.—Carp, among nature's most destructive fish species, could pose a disturbing threat to waterfowl as well as game fish in Saskatchewan, G. E. Couldwell, provincial director of fisheries, said.

Carp first entered the province three years ago through the Assiniboine River. Since then, strict control measures have been inaugurated in efforts to stop this undesirable fish from spreading throughout provincial waters.

Mr. Couldwell pointed out that carp destroyed waterfowl food plants and muddied shallow lake waters so badly that sunshine could not penetrate to stimulate new growth.

This had occurred in the United States, he said, and cited the example of Malheur Lake, in southeastern Oregon. Carp had destroyed the food supply in this lake to the extent where only 10 percent of the customary numbers of waterfowl were stopping there to feed and rest.

He said that here in Saskatchewan, every effort was being made to halt the spread of carp. Fish screens had been erected to prevent carp from migrating further up already infested streams, and angling regulations passed prohibiting the use of live bait below the 55th parallel.

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MAKEPEACE NEWS

Vern and Ed Jorgenson are visiting at their home here in Makepeace.

The Filkohazy family are now riding in a lovely 1956 blue and white Chrysler.

We are grateful to see Mrs. Grace Konchuh is out of the Bassano Hospital, where she was the past week with pneumonia.

Mrs. Kai Larson was also in the Bassano Hospital under observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jorgenson have a new T.V. set.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rakus had Easter weekend visitors from Nacmine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Filkohazy and family spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at East Coulee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Quillan and Terry are visiting the Bulgor family here in Makepeace. They also had the Youngs from Calgary on the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nail and Mrs. Rose Schaffer reported a wonderful time spent in Helena, Montana over the Easter week, where they took treatments in the mines.

Mrs. Jerry Ewing had her sister staying with her for a few days.

Mrs. Jack Bulgor is out of the Calgary Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. "Skip" Trapp are also driving a new yellow and black '56 Chev.

COMING EVENTS

Willing Workers Spring Tea and sale of Home Cooking will be held in the Armouries on Wednesday, April 18th from 3:00 to 6:00 P.M.

The Anglican Ladies Guild will hold their regular meeting at the home of Miss Betty Cappleman on Wednesday, April 18th at 3:00 P.M.

The Pony League Baseball Club Dance will be held in the Bassano Hall on Friday, April 20th. Music by Joe Berlando's Orchestra.

The Anglican Ladies Guild is planning to hold a Spring Tea and sale of work on Wednesday, May 2.

The Bassano High School Grads are planning to hold dances in the Bassano Hall on both May 11th and May 18th.

Don't forget Clean-up Day on May 9th. It is hoped that everyone will co-operate and clean up all trash which has accumulated during the winter.

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WHEN REQUIRING FIRE INSURANCE

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY —**the technical point**

—By RICHARD DEWITT CARR

AFTER the waiting, Greg should have been glad to see her. The reflection looked at him from the mirror behind the soda fountain. She was toying with a brownish-looking drink. He carefully noted the light hair that was neither blonde nor brown, the clear features and the creamy skin. To Greg, these were important details, they fitted the description, but that very fact left him uneasy. He must be sure.

He sipped his own drink and waited. Presently, the girl picked up her check and moved behind Greg and the other people sitting at the counter. She paid at the cashier's desk and stepped through the street door.

Timing his movements so that he could be a few paces away and still observe, Greg followed.

There was something elusive, exciting about her. Perhaps it was the assurance in the click of her heels, the swing of her walk, or the way the sun played golden-havoc in her hair. So this girl had to be Laura King!

Once she turned half about, glanced back, and he wasn't sure she hadn't noticed him.

About five minutes and two city blocks later, her feet hesitated, moved from the flow of people and turned into the station. Because it was less crowded here, Greg carefully lengthened the distance that separated him from her. But he kept his eyes on her, through the street floor and on, up the long steps that led to the trains.

The waiting room held no interest for her. She didn't stop until she reached the train platform.

She had, Greg reasoned, also timed herself perfectly, for a train gate was opening and she seemed now to be searching for a familiar face among the passengers filtering past. She fingered the long strap on her bag nervously.

He waited until the last person had come through the gate. He was certain now and the time had come.

He sauntered over. "Hello, Miss King." His voice was easy, almost gentle. He nodded toward the silver shield in his half-opened hand.

"Yes," she said, "I understand."

The train announcer's voice broke blatantly from the amplifiers. A truck dragging a load of baggage swished by them. A gate clanged shut.

Greg had always liked his job. Unpleasant at times? Certainly, it was. But Greg, if you don't do your work, there would only be someone else. Someone must always do the unpleasant tasks.

"Over here," he said, taking her arm; "We can sit down."

At one end of the waiting-room was a restaurant. They sat down at a table.

"We have been looking for you quite a while, Miss King." His tone made the words a question.

"I was looking for someone, too," she said quietly.

"Who?"

"The one man who might help me."

He liked the level steadiness in her eyes.

"And when you found him—he let you down." Greg was startled at the final sound of his own words.

"He said he would be on that train. He promised to meet me—"

Greg took a pack of cigarettes from his pocket, offered her one, but she shook her head.

"How could anyone help you?" he asked bluntly. "The bank says the entries were made by Laura King."

Her face was taut, tense. She leaned forward. "When an executive like Rand Cleverson tells you to do something, you do it. They began to audit the books and he wasn't there and—well I just kept staring at his name on that brass-lettered block on his desk."

She looked down at her hands folded before her on the table. The knuckles were white. "The longer I stared, the more I realized how he had planned, thought it through. I finally reached him by telephone and he said he would talk to me."

She looked out toward the train platform. "Silly, of course, I should have known he wouldn't be on that train."

"We might find him," Greg suggested.

"There's no proof. It's his word against mine. The law, everyone, will say I'm guilty!"

For a moment Greg watched her closely. Then he got up slowly, deliberately. "Well, Miss King, I guess that's all."

They walked out, into the waiting-room, and he could feel her hand, light touching his coat-sleeve. They moved on, followed down the long steps to the street-level. They were passing the open telephone booths and Greg stopped.

"Wait," he said. "I want to call Headquarters."

He dialed. The voice came. It was saying plenty. When it finished, Greg slipped the receiver back on the hook. He turned quickly to the girl.

"They brought Cleverson in to ask him a few routine questions and—" Greg paused, pushed his hat up at a rakish angle, "Cleverson confessed, broke down!"

Laura King trembled visibly and turned pale. Her eyes fluttered and she swayed, half-fainted, into his arms.

"There, there," consoled Greg. "Why, I won't even have to take you in." He swallowed hard. "The warrant for you was dropped two hours ago, when Cleverson cracked. Technically, I shouldn't have picked you up. I—"

"But I'm glad," she looked up with a weak smile, "I'm glad that you did. Technically, of course."

A meteor from outer space becomes a meteorite by surviving the friction of passage through the earth's atmosphere and reaching the ground.

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Australian woman prospector tired of sleeping under tree, wants spring bed

SYDNEY, Australia.—Mrs. Jenkins, of Alice Springs, Central Australia, who has "scratched" tin, gouged opals, camped on gold and mica mines for 40 years is now planning to float a company to work a uranium claim which her husband pegged before he died. She wants to be able to spend her declining years sleeping on innerspring mattresses.

"It's not the mining but the processing of certain types of uranium that's the problem. It's not like gold," she said, authoritatively.

The mineral trail that has taken her to Alice Springs—which she considers "the best place in the world, because it's got the best people and the best climate"—began at Coober Pedy, opal centre of Australia in the middle desert.

Next stop was Lightning Ridge, then three years in Queensland prospecting for opals.

Opals are the simplest of all things to mine," according to Mrs. Jenkins. "You just sink down with a pick and shovel and bring the dirt up with the windlass.

The majority of the world's opals now come from Australia, where they are found in sandstone deposits. The industry, it is said, began accidentally when a New South Wales hunter shot at a

MARCH, THE DECEIVER

Those warm March days are often deceptive, so it does not pay to discard rubbers and overshoes too soon. Wet or cold feet can lead to colds and chills. And when the new shoes for spring and summer are being purchased, they should be chosen for comfort and suitability. High heels and scanty uppers are not suitable for school or for long hours of work.

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It flashed blood red and emerald and deep blue and purple and many. "It laughs at you," she said. "It's the one stone that nobody can imitate."

The opal is a jewel which needs care in ownership. An opal has been known to crack suddenly while the wearer's hand was resting on her lap in the hot sunshine. It also can be scratched quite easily and if it is dipped in water its fire will be extinguished, for fluid will percolate through the hair-like cracks which produce the scintillating light.

Suits every woman

The opal suits every woman it is claimed—a blonde can wear the white opal, her brunette sister the

kangaroo and then followed the wounded animal by its tracks.

Precious discovery

In one indentation made by the animal's trail he saw an oval pebble scintillating in the setting sun. Looking around he saw more. Without knowing what they were, the hunter was convinced that they were gems of some kind, and the kangaroo was forgotten while he hunted a more precious quarry.

Prospectors were soon on the scene. In the White Cliffs and Lightning Ridge areas they found opals literally scattered about the ground. Some could be seen protruding from rock fissures, and others were lodged in cracks in the wood of long-dead trees.

The chance discovery by the kangaroo hunter has in a little more than 60 years brought a fortune of millions of dollars to Australian gem seekers.

Mrs. Jenkins was wearing an opal brooch and tiny opal ear-rings, when interviewed here. She took a huge black opal out of her handbag.

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GEM NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ion and Mrs. H. Fladhamer motored to Olds on March 29th and attended the graduation exercises at the O.S.A.

Visiting friends in the district during the Easter holidays were Mrs. V. James and Audrey of Redcliffe.

Ben and Con Hiebert, George and Henry Paetkau and Edna Unia motored to Vancouver, Wash. where they attended the wedding of Katherine Reimer and Pete Paetkau.

Rudolph and Andy Fix of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the J. Fix home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller and daughter of Bassano spent Easter at the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Galarncau.

Those who spent the Easter holidays out of the district were Margaret Evans, at the home of her sister in Brooks, Mrs. B. Hogg in Brooks, Harold Evans was in Bow City, Mr. and Mrs. M. Koleyak and Garry motored to Ponoka, Ronnie Fix was at High River, Mr. and Mrs. N. Emms motored to Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. C. Douglas and family spent Easter in Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. C. Scheibner and family visited relatives in Calgary and Coaldale.

Karen Collins of Castor and Don Royer of Edmonton were home for the holidays.

A speedy recovery is sent to Mrs. Miller who is a patient in the Bassano Hospital.

Doris and Jim Ion motored to Olds and Eleanor Ion, who has been attending the O.S.A., returned home with them.

Mr. Stoer, who has resided in Calgary during the winter, returned to the community to commence farming operations.

Mrs. H. Fladhamer spent the week visiting in Calgary and Hanna. She motored back with her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cooper of Calgary.

Sunday visitors in the district were Mr. and Mrs. D. Temple and family of Saskatchewan.

ROSEMARY NEWS

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Freezen in the Brooks Hospital on March 29th.

Jacob Patkeau, Helen Retzlaff and Leonard Hardor are home after attending a season of Bible School. We extend them a hearty welcome.

An Easter Dance was held in the L.D.S. Hall on April 4th. The Brooks Orchestra was in attendance and a good time was had by all.

The Stork had a busy time in Rosemary this past week. He delivered a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adams, Jack Livingston by name, and on April 4th a baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mendenhall. This little fellow will be called Gary Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan D. Crapo will be making their home in Rosemary now. Mr. Crapo has gone into a three way partnership with Cal & Lloyds Express. The Crapos have made a temporary home in the old Cummings place but hope to build a home as soon as possible. They formerly lived in Downey, Utah, where they owned a movie theatre.

The road ban on all roads in the County of Newell was lifted to half loads at 7:00 A.M. on Monday, April 9th. All roads are drying up fast.

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF BASSANO

BY-LAW No. 78 OF THE TOWN OF BASSANO provides that all dogs found without a dog tag for the current year attached to their collars MAY BE IMMEDIATELY DESTROYED. The Town Council has now passed a motion instructing the Police Committee to enforce By-Law No. 78 at once.

ALL DOGS

WITHIN THE TOWN OF BASSANO MUST THEREFORE BE LICENSED AT ONCE, OTHERWISE PROSECUTION OF THE OWNER OR DESTRUCTION OF THE DOG WILL FOLLOW IN DUE COURSE.

Hugh Pearce
Secretary Treasurer.

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SCHELSKE'S WELDING SHOP

PHONE 140 BASSANO

The Sports Clinic

(An official department of the Canadian Amateur Sport and Physical Fitness Development Service)

By Lloyd Percival

Are injuries necessary?

Some time ago, Sports College completed a survey of some 1,000 injuries suffered by teen-age athletes in Canada. With baseball, tennis, track and field and swimming seasons just around the corner, it might be interesting to look at the figures uncovered by this survey.

Here, in order of their importance, are the major causes of injury:

- Poorly-kept playing areas (20 percent).
- Fatigue in the latter stages of competition owing to poor physical condition (17 percent).
- Lack of skill, especially when competing against opponents of far superior skill (13 percent).
- Insufficient muscular strength in key areas of the body (12 percent).
- Insufficient warm-up before activity (10 percent).
- Unattended minor injuries (9 percent).
- Inadequate and poorly fitting equipment (9 percent).
- Fear and the resulting tension (5 percent).
- Inefficient and loose officiating (5 percent directly attributed).

This study showed about 90 percent of these injuries can be avoided, particularly those due to poorly kept playing areas, poor physical condition, insufficient strength, unattended minor injuries and ill-fitting equipment. We suggest every athlete, coach and physical education leader evaluate the situation in their area and make up their mind to do something about it this year.

The cause of inaccurate throwing

How's your throwing arm? If you have trouble hitting the mark, check to see if you're making the major mistake of "cross-stepping". This is said to be the greatest single cause of inaccurate throwing.

Cross stepping simply means that as you come forward in the throwing action, your foot is moved across in front of the body slightly with the toes pointed off to the side. This locks the hips and prevents free movement of the muscles.

In the correct action, the lead leg should move straight toward the target. Toes should point directly toward the mark you are trying to hit.

Practice this action during the coming season, and see if it doesn't improve your throwing ability—not only your accuracy but your speed as well.

Sports College has announced a national service for the development of amateur sports and physical fitness levels in Canada. This newspaper is pleased to participate in this plan by presenting "The Sports Clinic" to its readers in the best interests of this community. Further

FAMILY FALL

Mrs. Sybil Wallace fell and broke her hip as she stepped into the home of her mother, Mrs. T. B. Wood of Bryan, Texas.

Mrs. Wood and her other daughter, Mrs. Clara Wallace, took Mrs. Sybil Wallace to a hospital. At the entrance there, Mrs. Wood fell and sprained an ankle and Mrs. Clara Wallace fell and broke her wrist.

The collapsible metal tube such as is now used for toothpaste was invented in 1841.

THE TILLERS

TILLERS



By George

Ticklers

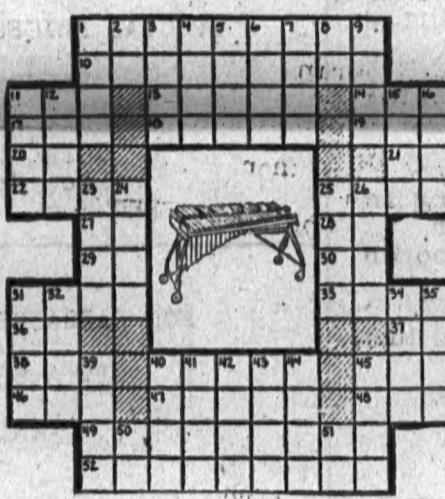


"Believe me, lady! All I can give is 50 cents! I hate to think what dumping all this brass will do to the stock market!"

Weekly Crossword Puzzle ::

Musical Instrument

HORIZONTAL		8 Niton (symbol)	9 Domestic slave
1	Depicted musical instrument	11 Dash	12 Grade
10	Oils again	15 Monster	16 It is played with a hammer
11	Age	23 Storage pit	32 Wild beast
13	Shop	24 Pack	34 Observe
14	At this time	25 It is made of graduated	35 Joint of the leg
17	Deposit	26 Zeus' mother	39 Lack
18	Foot parts	31 Portal in a fence	40 Grate
19	Self	32 Wild beast	42 Departed
20	Near	33 Observe	43 Wiles
21	Artificial language	35 Joint of the leg	44 Hawaiian wreaths
22	Cape	39 Lack	45 Misfortunes
25	Rearred	40 Grate	50 Compass point
27	Pronoun	41 German river	51 Am (Scot.)



Here's the Answer

Ten Word INTELLIGRAM

Check the correct word:

- Monaco is a (principality) (kingdom).
- Late comedian Fred Allen's real surname was (Sullivan) (Allen).
- He died (in an accident) (of a heart attack).
- Navy's mighty carrier Forrestal will see service in the (Pacific) (Mediterranean).
- Hurricanes in '56 will be given names of (boys) (girls).
- France has rushed reinforcements to (Algeria) (Cyprus).
- (Some) (no) United States scientists are spending the southern hemisphere winter in Antarctica.
- Administration's proposed foreign aid program would cost (three billion) (five billion) dollars.
- Major portion of funds would go toward (military) (economic) aid.
- Major league baseball play begins third week in (April) (May).

Count 10 for each correct choice. A score of 0-20 is poor; 30-60, average; 70-80, superior; 90-100, very superior.

Decoded Intelligram

APRIL
1—Principality, 2—Sullivan, 3—Heart attack, 4—Mediterranean,
5—Gillis, 6—Algeria, 7—Some, 8—Five billion, 9—Military, 10—

—By Chuck Thurday

PEGGY



—By Les Carroll

PUBLIC NOTICE

By-Law No. 419 of the Town of Bassano has been given second reading and provides that each Councillor shall be paid Three Dollars for each Council meeting he attends and that the Mayor shall be paid Four Dollars for attendance at each meeting of the Council.

THEREFORE PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the By-Law will be given third reading and duly passed at the next meeting of the Council unless within the next TWENTY DAYS from this date not less than TWENTY proprietary electors object thereto and give a signed notice to that effect in writing to the Secretary Treasurer at the Town Hall.

Dated at Bassano, this 10th day of April, 1956.

Hugh Pearce
Secretary Treasurer.

POET'S CORNER
By A.R.

FRIENDSHIP

There's a heap of consolation
In a few lines from a friend;
They can wipe out desolation,
And bring heartaches to an end;
They can soothe a troubled spirit
Like all magic, yea e'en better;
Heaven? You're pretty near it
When a good friend sends a letter.
There's a heap of satisfaction
In a friendly shoulder pat;
It's a simple little action
But a mighty one at that.
When firm fingers grip your shoulder
When you sort o' need a brace,
Makos you stronger, braver, bolder,
And more fit to run the race.
When you're full of worry pizen,
And the world is looking drear,
There's a heap of energizin'
In a little pill of cheer.
When some little frets distress you
They put nectar in your cup,
Little phrases like "God bless you"
And that other one "Cheer up!"

WHEN PAPA SLEEPS

When my Pa's awake he's still,
Just like you and me;
Never makes a bit of noise,
Jes' still as he can be.

But when he goes to sleep
Oh, he makes a clatter,
Scares you most to death
Wondering what's the matter.

First he gives a growl or two,
Then he makes rumble;
Then lets out a snort or two,
Then he'll groan and grumble.

Wonder if Pa's broke inside
Or been getting rusted?
'Spect I'd better have him fixed,
Or he'll wake up busted!

OH MY!

Oh Lord, please fill my mouth
With worthwhile stuff
And nudge me when
I've said enough!

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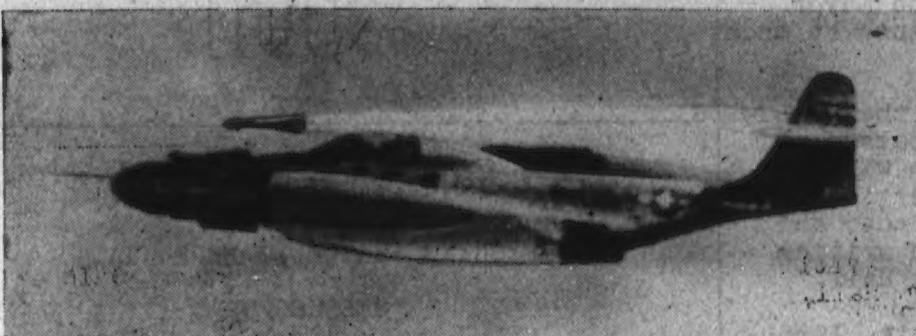
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World Happenings In Pictures



STINGER—Already beginning to pass its mother plane, a Falcon air-to-air guided missile streaks along just above the nose of this Northrop Scorpion F-89H all-weather interceptor. The Scorpion is the first Air Force operational fighter to be equipped with the deadly missiles, which are launched after extension from housings in wing-tip pods. Picture is from one of the first official U.S. Air Force photos to show the new Scorpion during manoeuvres. Said to be the Air Force's most heavily armed operational fighter, she succeeds the Scorpion F-89D in top fire-power rating.



CLOSE CALL FOR PEDESTRIANS—A concrete retaining wall stopped this locomotive from plunging down on pedestrians in the centre of Duisburg, Germany. The locomotive jumped the tracks while shunting on the railroad station. Pedestrians gaze up at the engine jutting out from the wall. The mishap sent strollers scurrying in all directions. No one was injured, however.



MOTHER'S DAY STAMPS—The First Lady of the United States displays the first sheet of this year's Mother's Day seals, presented to her in a ceremony at the White House, as the fourth annual fund-raising campaign gets under way. Proceeds of the sale will finance research and educational projects for better maternal and infant care. Mother's Day this year is May 13, second Sunday of the month.



UGH — No Little Miss Muffet she. Lillemor Knudsen, dancer, wears this on-the-shoulder horror as decoration (?) during her act at a night club in London, England.



SOPRANO TO SING AT MONACO WEDDING—Marguerite Paquet, young Quebec singer, has been invited to sing with the choir at the marriage of Prince Rainier of Monaco and actress Grace Kelly. Miss Paquet, a soprano, has been studying music in Paris for three years on a scholarship provided by the French and Quebec governments.



TOPKNOT—So brimful of style is this hat that there's no room allowance for a crown. Hair is worn in a chignon to hold the cocktail number in place. It's a Paris creation, fashioned of velvet.



RESCUE MADE—Patrolman Gunnar Carlson leans over Boston police launch on Charles River to rescue Michael Grenzel, 62, who fell from bridge during a snowstorm. Grenzel, unconscious when pulled from the river, was sent to hospital suffering from exposure.



JUST RESTIN'—Unidentified gladiator is out on the scorecard of Lt. Monty Moffat, who maintains a hands-off attitude during a Canadian Army boxing meet at Hemer, West Germany. The bell saved Sleeping Beauty from an official KO.



UNDERDOG—Undercover, that is. No member of the secret service, this pooch in Epsom, England, sports a harness-mounted umbrella whenever she's taken for a stroll on rainy days.